ITU congratulates the World Health Assembly.

As the UN specialized agency for ICT technologies and services and a long-time partner of WHO, ITU is committed to continuing to leverage ICT technologies to help defeat COVID-19 and make the world safer, stronger and more connected.

Never before has digital health and ICT technologies such as artificial intelligence, cloud computing, the Internet of Things, 5G and others been so fundamental to economies and societies everywhere.

Now more than ever, universal health coverage will be possible only when everybody is connected. I am confident we can use the momentum around COVID-19 to bring digital health solutions to billions and transform today’s digital revolution into a development revolution for all.